

Perquimans Indians Play-off For State Title

THIS WEEK'S HEADLINES

The Supreme Court, by a 6-3 decision, ruled last Monday President Truman held no power providing authority for the seizure of the steel industry and the steel mills were immediately ordered returned to the owners. Union leaders immediately upon hearing the court order, called a strike of all steel workers. By Wednesday there were reports of new negotiations over the wage dispute might start up within a few days.

A state-wide second primary was announced Wednesday when it was announced Judge William B. Bobbitt, who ran second to Judge Hunt Parker for the nomination of Associate Justice, had called for a run-off to decide the issue. It was also likely Roy Rowe might ask that the run-off include the race for the office of Lieutenant Governor, since Luther Hodges, high man in the primary, received no clear cut majority.

William B. Umstead's majority over Hubert E. Olive, in the contest for Governor was in excess of 43,000 votes. Complete returns will not be announced until the State Board of Elections meet to make a canvass of returns from all precincts of the State. Official returns show Umstead carried 53 counties of the State while Olive carried 47.

The tempo in the race for the GOP nomination for the Presidency is now expected to speed up since General Dwight Eisenhower has retired from the Army, and this week started on a series of pre-convention speeches. The GOP contest will center around Eisenhower and Taft, with Taft holding a slight advantage in the number of delegates secured for the convention.

A State revenue report Wednesday, revealed North Carolina income for the first 11 months of the fiscal year equaled the amount collected in taxes for the entire fiscal year of 1950-51. The income collected by the State was \$162,078,000.

Indians Capture Eastern Title From Bayboro

The Perquimans Indians won the Class A Eastern baseball championship Monday night when they defeated Bayboro for the second straight time. The game of the best-of-five, 18-inning final game was 7-6.

Even though the teams played a three-game series with Bayboro taking the first contest here last Thursday night, 12-9, in a 10-inning battle. The second game was played at New Bern last Saturday afternoon with the Indians winning by a score of 10-6. The deciding contest was played Monday night at Hertford.

Rain somewhat hampered the first contest. Vernon White pitched for the Indians giving up three hits, striking out 13 and walking three. M. B. Taylor, pitcher for the Perquimans, allowed four hits, walked seven and struck out seven. The Indians took the lead in the fourth inning and then Bayboro went ahead in the seventh with the Indians tying the count in the ninth. Bayboro scored three runs in the 10th to win, 7-6.

Saturday's contest was the Indians' all the way. Billy Benton, did the pitching for Perquimans and kept Bayboro batters under control throughout the game. The Indians jumped into an early lead, knocking out one Bayboro pitcher and had little trouble getting hits off his replacement.

The deciding game was a thriller, despite a number of errors by both teams. Bayboro tallied twice in the first and the Indians knotted the count in the second; then went ahead by scoring once in the fourth and three runs in the fifth. Bayboro came back strong in the seventh scoring three runs and got another in the eighth to tie the score at 6-6. From then on until the 13th inning both teams were tied, 6-6. The game was won by the Indians in the final inning by clouting a drive to center field, scoring Clyde Stallings.

Vernon White pitched for Perquimans, giving up 11 hits, walking seven and striking out 17 Bayboro batters. M. B. Taylor pitched for Bayboro, allowing nine hits, walking seven and striking out 18. Perquimans committed five errors while Bayboro made

County Voters Gave Majority To Olive, Rowe, Parker And Cheek In State Races

Copeland And Godwin High Men In Race For State Senate

Perquimans County voters went to the polls last Saturday and cast a majority of votes for Hubert E. Olive, candidate for Governor; Roy Rowe, candidate for Lt. Governor; Hunt Parker, candidate for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, and Waldo Cheek for Commissioner of Insurance.

Election day was cloudy and rainy but despite the weather voters turned out in normal force. Estimates placed the number of voters at 1728, although the largest number of votes tallied was the 1711 cast in the register of deeds race. A number of ballots were void due to either mis-markings or the fact the voter failed to mark the ticket.

In the contest for State Senate for the First District, J. William Copeland, of Hertford County, received the top vote with 944, Pliston Godwin was second in the county with 779, S. E. Burgess third with 352 and F. Webb Williams received 319.

Roy Rowe was high man in the race for Lt. Governor, receiving 525 votes, while Hodges was second with a total of 465. State-wide returns gave the election to Hodges over Rowe. McDonald received 187 votes in this race in Perquimans while Kirtzes received a total of 50.

State-wide returns on the contest between William B. Umstead and Hubert Olive gave the nomination to Mr. Umstead by a majority of approximately 45,000 votes. Thus Mr. Umstead will become the next Governor of North Carolina as nomination means election in the voting in November.

Waldo C. Cheek, incumbent, won an easy 686 to 327 vote score over his opponent Frederick in seeking reelection to the office of Commissioner of Insurance.

Voting throughout the county was brisk all through the day, with Hertford precinct recording 458 votes, Parkville 284, New Hope 243, Bethel 179, Belvidere 156 and Nisemon 104.

Softball League Opened Tuesday

A newly formed Civic Softball League opened its season here last Tuesday afternoon with the VFW defeating the Jaycees by a one-sided score of 23-3.

Teams participating in the league this year include the VFW, Jaycees, Lions Club and Winfall Ruritans. The Ruritan team replaces the Independent team which competed last year. From all appearance the league this season will be better balanced, with a series of lively games in prospect for local fans.

For the time being, games are scheduled on Wednesday afternoons, for both Memorial Field, at the high school, and on the playground field, on Grubb Street. Lights will soon be installed on the playgrounds and following installation softball games will be scheduled as doubleheaders on Monday and Thursday nights of each week.

On next Wednesday the VFW will play the Ruritans and the Jaycees will play the Lions.

Negro 4-H Meeting Held On Thursday

A Negro 4-H district federation was held Thursday at the Perquimans Training School at Winfall. Shelby White presided over the gathering which included 4-H members from Beaufort, Bertie, Chowan, Edgecombe, Franklin, Gates, Greene, Halifax, Hertford, Martin, Nash, Northampton, Pasquotank, Perquimans, Pitt, Warren, Wilson and Vance counties.

During the meeting demonstrations were conducted by both boys and girls, and a feature was a dress contest.

William Wills and Enoch Gregory represented this county in the boys' judging team demonstration and Shelby White, Gertrude Harrell, Erma Parker, Oneda Felton and Jessie Lee Norman were entered in the dress contest.

The meeting was planned by W. C. Stroman, M. B. Taylor, local Negro farm agent and home agent.

Girls Selected To Attend Legion State

Maile Maguin Whedbee and Nan Lee White, eighth next year at Perquimans High School, have been selected by the Auxiliary of the Wm. Paul Stallings Post of the American Legion to represent this county at the Legion Girls' State, to be held at WOODDALE Greensboro, during the week of June 23, through the 28th.

Budget Considered By Commissioners At Meeting Monday

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The Board approved an increase of \$250 in the budget for the fire prevention and conservation department; \$300 in the budget for the Negro Agriculture Extension Service and \$118 in the Welfare Department.

On motion passed the Board approved a request that the State Highway Department take over the road leading from the Harvey Point road to Perquimans Beach.

Also on motion passed all carnival and similar shows were banned from showing within Perquimans County unless sponsored by a local civic organization and approved by the Board of County Commissioners.

The Board voted to authorize the advertisement and sale of all delinquent 1951 taxes. The property to be advertised during the month of July and sold on Monday, August 4, 1952. In this motion the Board also ordered the County Tax Collector to levy upon all delinquent personal property taxes and collect same prior to settlement date.

Following this the Board began compiling a new jury list, to be placed in the jury box, from which the names for jury service will be drawn for the next two years.

Measuring Of Peanut Acreage Started Here

Miss Helene W. Nixon, Acting PMA Secretary for Perquimans County, reports that peanut compliance is getting under way in the county with reporters already in the field.

Peanut allotments cover 3,746 acres on 607 farms in the county. Each farm with an allotment will be visited by a reporter for the purpose of measuring the peanut acreages. This check which is handled in connection with the price support program is scheduled to be completed by June 30.

Powell And Morris Lead County Race

Julian C. Powell and J. Edgar Morris emerged from last Saturday's primary as high men in the six-man race for the office of Register of Deeds for Perquimans County, and will oppose each other for the office in a second primary to be held the last of June.

Powell was high man in the primary receiving a total of 511 votes. He carried three of the six precincts but failed to receive a majority of all votes cast.

Morris carried two precincts, to receive a total of 485 votes, which placed him second in the field.

Jim Bass received a total of 259 votes and placed third while Ervin Turner, who carried New Hope precinct finished with 190 votes. C. C. Banks received a total of 121 votes and George W. Jackson received 45.

While the local Register of Deeds race was somewhat overshadowed by the gubernatorial contest between William B. Umstead and Hubert E. Olive, the local contest pulled the greater number of votes during the election. A total of 1,177 votes were cast for candidates in this race.

Under the election laws, where there is more than two candidates seeking the office, and no one candidate receives a majority of the votes cast the candidate finishing second may call for a second primary to decide the election of the nominee. In this case Mr. Morris has the privilege of requesting the second primary.

In the only other purely local race R. L. Spivey, receiving 1,044 votes, defeated E. G. Banks, who received 425 votes, for the office of county commissioner for New Hope Township. Mr. Spivey will succeed Ervin Turner with the term beginning the first Monday in December.

MASONS TO MEET

The Perquimans Lodge, No. 106, A. F. & A. M., will meet Tuesday night at eight o'clock. All Masons and visiting Masons are urged to attend.

	Hertford	Parkville	New Hope	Bethel	Belvidere	Nisemon	TOTAL
GOVERNOR:							
Umstead	819	84	109	61	47	81	651
Dunaway	1	3	—	—	1	0	6
Olive	491	192	180	116	105	70	1044
LIUTENANT GOVERNOR:							
Hodges	238	60	39	46	46	16	495
McDonald	53	41	13	15	14	11	147
Kirtzes	12	8	10	14	3	3	50
Rowe	315	53	75	41	37	4	525
ASSOCIATE JUSTICE (REGULAR TERM):							
Parker	299	84	80	65	69	26	623
Bobbitt	23	15	13	4	1	1	57
Valentine	139	39	23	36	28	5	319
Efrid	47	13	10	6	7	1	84
Gwyn	19	8	2	3	—	—	35
Phillips	13	9	2	10	—	—	37
ASSOCIATE JUSTICE (SHORT TERM):							
Parker	344	104	82	76	58	26	690
Bobbitt	23	18	16	7	3	4	71
Valentine	138	48	33	35	31	10	345
Efrid	51	10	11	8	7	1	88
INSURANCE COMMISSIONER:							
Frederick	120	71	47	31	40	18	327
Cheek	624	62	61	75	48	14	694
STATE SENATOR:							
Godwin	324	117	114	73	73	67	778
Copeland	407	172	131	73	100	73	944
Williams	163	46	44	32	23	6	319
Burgess	163	47	63	42	32	5	362
REGISTER OF DEEDS:							
Powell	359	187	32	84	52	47	611
Turner	11	13	149	5	14	1	190
Banks	61	5	9	4	8	4	121
Ellis	92	39	62	51	17	22	265
Morris	275	68	18	32	66	26	485
Jackson	11	22	6	3	2	3	45
COUNTY COMMISSIONER NEW HOPE:							
Banks	193	53	44	39	46	29	355
Spivey	499	181	111	101	67	31	1020

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Perquimans And Madison To Play Three Game Series Here Starting On Thursday

Hertford Jaycees Hold Installation

Installation of new officers and Ladies' Night was observed by the Hertford Junior Chamber of Commerce at a dinner meeting held Wednesday night at the VFW Hall.

J. B. Brame, Durham, State President of the Jaycees and Elmo Lamm, District Vice President of the Jaycees, of Spring Hope, conducted the installation services.

New officers of the local organization are George E. Fields, president; Eldon Winslow, vice president, Talmage Rose, secretary, and Francis Nixon, treasurer.

Following the business session a film, Dare—The Birthplace of a Nation, was shown as part of the program.

Reilly-Godwin Vows Spoken Last Friday In Washington, D. C.

Friday morning, May 30, at a 10 o'clock Nuptial Mass at Saint Anthony's Church in Washington, D. C., Miss Buena Mae Godwin, daughter of Mrs. Maude Godwin and the late Seldon C. Godwin of Hertford, became the bride of John T. Reilly, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Reilly, of Lowell, Massachusetts. A double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. John Dressell, and the Mass was said by the Rev. Ambrose Wheeler.

Joseph B. Welch and Thomas F. Gaus, both of Washington, D. C., and friends of the bride and bridegroom, served as Acolytes. A reception followed at the Admiral Club.

The bride was given in marriage by Thomas J. Feeney of Falls Church, Va. She wore a traditional gown of white, chantilly-type lace over satin, fashioned with a long-sleeved fitted jacket topped by a Peter Pan collar over a dress with a fitted bodice featuring a full ballerina length skirt. A lace cap embroidered with pearls held in place a finger-tip veil of imported illusion. She carried a white orchid upheld by two gardenias on her prayer book, with stephanotis-knotted white ribbon streamers.

Miss Patricia McNally of Washington, D. C., as Maid of Honor, and Miss Marjorie Meyer of Baldwin, Long Island, N. Y., as bridesmaid, wore identical styled ballerina length gowns of swiss organdy in yellow and orchid fashioned with a portrait neckline, a bodice of eyelet embroidery, and a full skirt with a border of matching eyelet, matching shoes and picture hats. They carried colonial bouquets of mixed pastel flowers.

The best man was Edward L. Reilly, brother of the bridegroom. Ushers were Edward M. Crough and Francis J. Dorsey, both of Washington, D. C. For their wedding trip Mrs. Reilly wore a robin egg blue silk shantung suit and shoes, with white accessories. For her corsage she used the flower from her prayer book.

After a two weeks' honeymoon, the couple will reside in Washington, D. C.

Service Officer Handed 1,142 Calls

A report filed with the Board of County Commissioners, this week, by C. C. Banks, Perquimans County Veterans' Service Officer, revealed the office handled 1,142 calls or services during the past year.

According to the report the officer received 161 letters, mailed 193, made 47 long distance phone calls, 39 field trips, had 187 interviews, assisted 36 on the job training applicants, had 132 inquirers about compensation and pensions, 84 queries on insurance, 39 on hospitalization, 19 on farmer training, 11 on burial benefits and 103 of a miscellaneous nature.

Local FFA Member Wins Coveted Prize

Clarence Chappell, Jr., of the Perquimans F.F.A. Chapter has been declared the winner in Livestock Improvement in District One, which includes twenty or more counties in eastern North Carolina. The award carries a \$100 cash prize for a free trip to the National F.F.A. Convention at Kansas City, Missouri; also the Agriculture Teacher and Advisor gets a free trip to go along with Clarence. This is the first time an honor of this type has been won by a Perquimans boy.

Class A State Championship At Stake In Conests

Perquimans High School's baseball team is competing this week-end for the State Class A championship. All games in the state playoff will be played in Hertford, on Memorial Field, with the first game scheduled Thursday night. The second contest will be played on Friday night, and if necessary the third game will be played Saturday night. Game time for all contests has been set at eight o'clock.

Madison High School, winner of the Western championship, in the state playoffs, will be the opponent of the Perquimans Indians. This team won the western division last year and were runners-up for the state title.

Coach Ellie Fearing's Indians won the right to play for the state title by defeating such teams as Ahoakie, Windsor, Gateville in the sub-district schedule, then defeating West Edgecombe for the district title and won two of the three games from Bayboro for the eastern championship.

Very little hope has been secured on the strength of the Madison team, which will play here this week but fans can expect some real baseball in this series which will decide the state championship for the Class A schools.

Despite a strenuous schedule during the past three weeks, the Indians are in good shape for the state finals and without doubt will receive strong backing from baseball fans in this area.

The roster of the Indians includes Clyde Stallings, catcher; John Morris, first baseman; Joe Towe, second baseman; Garland Walker, shortstop; Billy Benton, third baseman and pitcher; Allen Winslow, A. L. Lane and Clyde Lane, outfielders, and Vernon White, pitcher. Utility players include Robert Winslow, Fritz Wulf and John Chappell.

Three Defendants Ordered Held For Recorder Trials

Three defendants, who failed to appear in Recorder's Court here Tuesday morning to answer to charges on warrants issued against them, were ordered apprehended and held for trial at the next term of court. The three were Julian Broughton, charged with speeding and failing to observe a stop sign, Shelton Bagley, charged with being drunk and Charlie Wynn, Negro, charged with failing to observe a stop sign.

Cases heard during the session Tuesday included those of Raymond Kohler and Bruce Falconer, each of whom paid the costs of court after pleading guilty to charges of speeding; Leon Dwyer and John Vick, also charged with speeding pled guilty and paid fines of \$10 and costs of court.

Costs of court were taxed against Arthur Armond, Negro, who entered a plea of guilty to a charge of failing to dim lights on a vehicle. Blanche Lowder, Negro, charged with being drunk and disorderly entered a plea of guilty and paid a fine of \$2 and costs of court.

Horace Williams paid a fine of \$10 and costs of court after entering a plea of guilty to a charge of driving with insufficient brakes. Lennie Edwards, Negro, entered a plea of guilty to a charge of driving an overloaded truck. He paid a fine of \$20 and costs.

Julian Thatch was ordered to pay the costs of court after entering a plea of guilty to a charge of being drunk on a highway.

Summer Schools To Open On Tuesday

Classes in the courses in English and Math will be offered during the summer school, to be held at Perquimans High School, starting next Tuesday, it was announced today by E. C. Woodard, principal of the school.

Mr. Woodard stated enrollment in the classes will be held at nine o'clock next Tuesday morning and all students desiring to enroll in the summer school should be on hand at the school at that time.

VFW DANCE SATURDAY

The VFW Post will hold a homecoming dance, Saturday night, June 7, at the VFW hall, beginning at nine o'clock. The dance will honor local college students who have returned here for the summer.